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In re the Application of: Scott SUTHERLAND

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For: BUMPER FOR A BICYCLE TRAILER

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Transmittal Letter

Submitted herewith for appropriate consideration by the U.S. Patent Office are the following documents:

- 1. Response to the Office Action dated July 19, 2004; and
- 2. Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$1020 for the three-month extension of time to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted,

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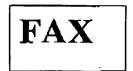
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The undersigned hereby states that the Response and Petition for Extension of Time has been transmitted via facsimile to the centralized facsimile number at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 19, 2005.

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<u>AUTHORIZATION</u>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account number 08-0219.

In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of which is required to make this response timely, and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such, to deposit account number 08-0219.

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